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PAL(2)[PEL] reports the distribution of planes by types for the first [B% week] of May:

Heavy bombers - U.S. Army 28; [11 groups unrecovered];

USSR 7.
Light 2 motored - X(a) [1 group unrecovered];

USSR 35. Light 1 motored - Navy 18; X(a) 8.

2 motored fighters - Army 43. 1 motored fighters - Army 44; Navy -1U-;

X(a) 49; USSR 3.

Transport - [3 groups unrecovered]

Training - Army 340; Navy 10; X(a) 2; China 14

[110 groups unrecovered] displacement 139630, deadweight 221562. Passenger - volume displacement 11812, deadweight [11 groups unrecovered] 10% of Roosevelt's program for 1942.

Construction [1 group unrecovered] by months: January 123000 gross tons; February 196000; March 194000.

According to data of the U.S. Army, representatives of the army in the air industry [1 group unrecovered] issue to the USSR of priority on fighter planes. [3 groups unrecovered] the United States is trying to produce for the USSR 45000 fighter planes during the next two months. [110 groups unrecovered] factory [2 groups unidentified] output of planes for the USSR.

[765 groups unrecovered and unrecoverable]

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